

CLAIMS

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A system for image display comprising:
 - (a) a computer with a first modem located at a first location and connected via the modem to a communications network;
 - (b) a remote color display device with a second modem and a controller, the remote color display located at a second location and capable of image display, the remote color display device connected to the communications network via the modem;
 - (c) an internet website containing a database of image references for providing imagery to the computer; and
 - (d) means for allowing selection of images from the database to be displayed on the remote color display.
2. A system for image display comprising:
 - (a) a remote color display device with a modem and a controller located at a first location and capable of image display, the remote color display device connected to the communications network via the modem;
 - (b) an internet website containing a database of image references for providing imagery to the remote color display; and
 - (c) means for allowing selection of images from the database to be displayed on the remote color display.
3. A system for image display as recited in claim 2 wherein:
the means for allowing selection is a computer with a connection to the internet website, the computer being located at a second location remote from the first location.
4. A system for image display as recited in claim 3 wherein:
the selected images are stored at the second location.
5. A system for image display as recited in claim 3 wherein:
the selected images are stored at a third location remote from both the first location and the second location.

6. A method for providing image display services comprising the steps of:
 - (a) storing a database of image references at an internet website;
 - (b) providing a library of images referenced by the database;
 - (c) accessing the database and images from a first remote location;
 - (d) displaying the images at the first remote location on a remote color display device, the remote color display device having a modem and a controller and capable of image display, the remote color display being located at the first remote location and connected to the communications network via the modem.
7. A method as recited in claim 6 further comprising the step of:
allowing selection of image references to be made by a user at a second remote location.
8. A method as recited in claim 7 wherein:
the library is at the second remote location.
9. A method as recited in claim 7 wherein:
the library is at a third remote location.
10. A system as recited in claim 1 wherein:
the remote color display device includes local controls to manage the operation thereof.
11. A system as recited in claim 1 wherein:
the second modem is a wireless modem.
12. A system as recited in claim 1 wherein:
the remote color display device includes means to play an audio signal associated with a displayed image.
13. A system for image display comprising:
 - (a) a first remote color display device with a first modem and a controller located at a first location and capable of image storage and display, the

first remote color display device connected to a communications network via the first modem;

(b) a second remote color display device with a second modem and a controller located at a second location and capable of image storage and display, the second remote color display device connected to the communications network via the modem;

(c) control means to transmit images from the first remote color display device to the second remote color device through the first and second modems and the communications network.

14. The system recited in Claim 13 additionally comprising:
an internet website containing a database of images and image references for providing imagery to the first and second remote color displays and accessible from the first and second remote color displays.

15. The system recited in Claim 13 additionally comprising:
a computer containing a database of images for providing imagery to the first and second remote color displays and accessible from the first and second remote color displays.